The Young Scout.

Expenses Grew Faster-Net Earn-

ings Sho Decrease.

SLICE OF BOND ISSUE

on Curbing and Gutter to

Cost \$50,000.

WATER DEPARTMENT PROBE

No Statement Made as to Nature of

Proposed Reorganization or of

Changes Intended to Increase Its

Efficiency-First Meeting Monday.

A \$50,000 slice of the new \$500,000 and issue for surface improvements will go to Fairmount in the form of surbs and gutters for a large area sounded by Twentieth and Twenty-ourth Streets, Fairmount Avenue and he corporation line. The Administrative Board yesterday directed the City-Onsineer to advertise for bids for pro-iding with granolithic curb and guter every recently graded street in this

HEGIN WATER PROBE:

ON MONDAY NIGHT

A special committee, composed of
Henry P. Beck and John Hirschberg,
appointed by the board to conduct an

## Miller & Rhoads

Post Office Station 23; Western Union Telegraph; Store Closes 5 P. M., Saturday 6.

Week-End Sale of Men's Wear

Shirts

These Shirts are positively the finest values (as to fit and workmanship, as well as materials) that we have ever shown. They rival, if not surpass, the Shirts you have been accustomed to pay \$1.50 and

As to materials, they are made of the very finest granite cloths, madras and woven striped mercer-

The cuffs are soft French turn-back, and the entire Shirt is hand laundered; all sizes, \$1.15 all length sleeves, each.....

Five for \$5.00.

## Pajamas

We have included our entire stock of high grade Pajamas in this sale. The silks as well as the crepes, Japo. cloth, etc. 

## "The Eyes of the World"

Harold Bell Wright's New Novel-Just Off the Press-Will Be on Sale To-day.

Price \$1.35 the Copy

"The Eyes of the World" is the author's sixth consecutive success and the greatest novel he has yet written.

The setting is in one of Southern California's cities among orange groves and the surrounding mountains. In poetic feeling and in the descriptive and character portrayal, in fact and con-ception the story is more romantic than "The Shepherd of the lills." Sibyl Andres, the mountain girl, is the loveliest, sweetest, daintiest heroine that Mr. Wright has had. The beauty and grandeur of the mountains is more real, even, than the desert in "The Winning of Barbara Worth."

Basement Book Shop. Basement Book Shop.

## HOWITZERS GO INTO CAMP THIS AFTERNOON

Road, Some Distance From

C. F. Turner, a merchant, was ar-rested last night by Mounted Officer L. M. Clark on a charge of exceeding the speed limit in an automobile.

## WELL WAS PADLOCKED. BUT NOT BY STRICKLER

Will Spend Night on Cary Street Gordonsville Board of Trade Investigates Unpleasant Occurrence

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Charged with Non-Support.

Charles Wilson was airseted last aight on a charge of unactive last aight that the program arranged for next week will be a most attractive one. A feature number will supply each of the control of

Commissioned.
Commissions were issued from the Governor's office yesterday to two applicants for the office of notary public. They new notaries are Howard Eanes, or Petersburg, for the County of Dinwiddle, and Joel B. Rowe, of Lady, for the County of Gloucester.

Petition in Hankruptey,
Schedules in voluntary bankruptey
filed yesterday in the United States
bistrict Court by the Auto Cover and
Supply Company, A. W. Evans, presiliabilities aggregating
to Supply Company, A. W. Evans, p. dent, show liabilities aggrega \$980.47, with assets amounting

# SKETCHES FROM LIFE -:- By Temple MASTER BAKERS

Immense Gathering of Breadmakers to Follow Big Bankers' Convention.

MACHINERY DEMONSTRATION

Baking Powder, Flavoring Extract and 'Other Accessory Plants to Be Inspected.

From the headquarters of the executive committee of the National Association of Master Bakers, comes the word that 1,000 boss breakmakers will were that 1,000 hoss breakmakers will visit this city during the third week in October, when the annual convention will be held in the Jefferson Hotel. Besides the dough mixers, their wives and families, almost as many representatives of machinery, flour and baking accessory concerns are expected to attend the sessions, and many demonstrations some constraints.

demonstrations, some open to the pub-lic, will be given.

The bakers' trade journals are giv-ing pages of free advertising to Rich-mond, and are boosting the convention far ahead of the date of meeting These magazines have arranged to print many columns of descriptive matter and pic-tures of this city, and will do all they can to make the October convention memorable. The executive committee, which selected Richmond, is confident that the approaching meeting will be one of the largest in the history of the

Of BREADMAKING MACHINERY Among the master bakers are some the most prominent men in the hold names in dozens of States. The or-

ber of speakers of renown, while there will be some technical discussion.

Demonstrations of machinery and accessories will be going on each day, and it is probable that the local factories will be thrown open to inspection. While the bakeries of Richmond are by no means the largest, they are models of their kind, and will be a revelation to many of the delegates.

The week before the bakers arrive, the American Bankers' Association will be in session here. That association is and the court and county and the circums of stances attending the dismissal?"

The gase originated in 1885, when the work of L. W. Reams, curator of the benefit of W. J. A. Atkinson, recovered judgment against E. J. Duval for \$2,374.24, which judgment was docketed April 10, 1889. It became a lien from that time on all the lands of the said buval.

In August of that year, Atkinson, suing on behalf of himself and all Administrative Board Calls for Bids Operating Revenues' Increased, but BIG JUMP MADE IN TAXES Net Income of Road for Fiscal Year Was \$10,268,139.69, a Decrease

was more than wiped out by an increase of 5 per cent in the total operating expenses, leaving the net operating revenues of the road to show a decrease as compared with the preceding year.

For the fiscal year ending June 36, statement in regard to which was issued yesterday by Joseph W. Coxe, comptroller, the passenger, mail and express earnings were \$6,005,820.28, an increase of 1 per cent; the freight earnings were \$38,464,798.51, an increase of 1 per cent, making the total operating revenues for the year \$44,470,618.79, an increase of \$730,698.27, or 2 per cent.

The total operating expenses were \$29,935,841.59, an increase of \$1,570,628.63, leaving the net operating revenue \$14,531,777.20, a decrease as compared with the preceding year of \$639,530.36. Taxes amounted to \$1,620,600, an increase of \$168,000. After allow-

invites the accounts of the business men of this com-

SECURITY AND SERVICE.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS ...: ..... \$1,600,000.00

RESOURCES ...... \$9,300,000,00

munity. They should have the best

## SPECIAL SUIT SALE

Men who want good representative clothing should avail themselves of our

ELEVEN DOLLAR SUIT SALE Values Up to \$20.00.

Gans-Rady Company

## INTERESTING POINT **BEFORE SUPREME COURT**

Litigation From Goochland Circuit Merchants Attracts Wide Attention Among Lawyers.

WRIT OF ERROR IS GRANTED MANY SOCIAL EVENTS PLANS

Case of John T. Snead and Others Buyers and Sellers, Many of WI Against W. J. Atkinson and Others. Involves Dismissal of Cases Under

Of general interest to lawyers and

hold rames in dozens of States. The organization has for its purpose, the promotion of good fellowship among the members of the craft, and dissemination of holdsmissal has been of long standing—in this case more than ten years—and the parties have all acquiesced therein tion, addresses will be made by a number of speakers of renown, while there will be some tochnical discussion. until the original parties are all dead, and the court and counsel have either died or have forgotten all the circum-

assually has several thousand members in attendance. The State Fair will other lien creditors of Duval, filed suit against Duval and his wife and will be flooded with strangers for the entire month. Was \$10,268,139.69, a Decrease of \$930,501.72, or 8 Per Cent, From Previous Year.

Although the total operating revenues of the Norfolk and Western Rall-way system for the last fiscal year showed an increase of 2 per cent, this was more than wiped out by an increase of 5 per cent in the total operating expenses, leaving the net operating expenses, leaving the net operating expenses, leaving the net operating year.

BRITISH VICE-CONSUL

Although the total operating revenitire month.

National officers of the Master Bakers are: Mark Bredin, Toronto, president; George M. Haffner, Fort Waxne, Ind., vice-president B. F. Waxne, Ind., vice-president B. F. On the report a decree of sale was entered and a commissioner's report filed. Georgia Ind. They need to sale was that large entered, directing the sale of the lands of E. J. Duval to pay off the line. William Miller and B. O. James, counsel for Duval, were appointed special form Bris commissioners and directed to sell the large of E. J. Duval to pay off the line. William Miller and B. O. James, counsel for Duval, were appointed special form Bris commissioners and directed to sell the large of Duval, were appointed special form Bris Commissioners and directed to sell the large of Duval, were appointed special form Bris Commissioners and directed to sell the large of Duval, were appointed special form Bris Commissioners and directed to sell the court commissioners and directed to sell the court sell of the court entered April 1, 1892.

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All of which is in conformity with the formallties of international diplomatic came up on the commissioner's report, All of which is in conformity with the formalities of international diplomatic relations.

The German vice-consul at Richmond, E. K. Victor, is now in Liverpool, and may experience some difficulty in returning to his office here. He was on a vacation trip when the trouble hegan in Europe. He has the necessary pass, ports that would enable him in normal times to proceed pencefully on his way to this country, but a cable report received Thursday night stated that he had been stricken from the docket Inhail arrived in Liverpool, and it was doubtful that he would be permitted to leave that country, for some days at least.

SMALL BOY NOT GUILTY

No Evidence Is Produced Upon Which to Hold Challe for Murder.

No evidence upon which to hold Charles Robinson, colored, ten years old, responsible for the detail of his case also comes from the Cir.

The commandations report in the main and again directing a sale of the property. Up to this time, the defendants were ignorable to the fact that the cause bad been stricken from the docket Inhailmon, take will be in san France, that the cause had been dismissed, and so informed Atkinson's counsel, suit the court at the June term, this year, sustained to the suit. The court at the June term, this year, sustained the demurrer and dismissed the case there the appeal for a new trial.

WRIT GRANTED IN CASE,

OF ADKINS VS. MOLLTON

Appeal and supersedeas were also granted in the case of Thomas Adding to the case also comes from the Cir.

Texas, where he was a member of baseball team.

Messages of Condelence.

to Hold Child for Murder.

No evidence upon which to hold Charles Robinson, colored, ten years old, responsible for the death of his aged grandmother was adduced yesterday morning when the child was arraigned in the Juvenile Court on a technical charge of murder. The boy will be kept in custody however, until provision for his future can be made. The Robinson woman was found dead in a closet in her home, 2 East Federal Street. She was nude and her hands and feet were bound tightly with heavy cord. Doctors pronounced death to have been caused by starvation.

Kins vs. Dalsy D. Moulton and others.
This case also comes from the Circuit Court of Goochland County. It grows out of an order of the court for the sale of tract of land formerly owned by John W. Adkins, deceased in Dover District Goochland.
Appeal was allowed in the case of M. J. Mideleiauf and others: from the sale of the court in Norfolk. The court in Norfolk decided that a tract of land in Lunenburg County, belonging to Clara V. Lynch Corners was liable for the debts of her husband, M. F. Corner. The petitioner seeks to have that decision annulled.

MASONIC CONVENTION

Grand Chapter to Hold Ceremonial Session Here in October.
Freparations for the conclave of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, were begun for the occasion were discussed.

Arrangements were made to establish headquarters during the conclave at Murphy's Hotel, where reservations have already been secured for Grand High Priest J. W. C. Bryant, of Clifton Forre; Past Grand High Priest W. B. McChenney, of Providence Forg, and the degree team that will be employed confering degrees.

WILL AID DEMOCRATS

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Montague Accepts Invitation to Make Montague Accepts Invitation to Make Campaign Tour in Maine.
Congressman A. J. Montague, of Richmond, yesterday accepted the invitation of the Democratic campaign committee to spend a week in Maine and make speeches for the Democratic ticket in that State.

Mr. Montague will spend the last week of the Maine campaign in New England territory.

Marriage Licenses.
Licenses to marry were issued yesterday by Deputy Clerk Breeden, of the Hustings Court, to Harry L. Hoffman and Annie E. Risley; and Abe Feinberg and Sadie Levin.

## BETTER ACQUAINTANCE PROVES GOOD SLOG

of South Coming Next Week to Meet the Wholesalers.

Have Done Business Heretofore Mail, Will Meet Each Other sonally-Special Railroad Rat

Messages of Condolence.



The Savings Bank is your only protection

FÉDERAL RESERVE-SYSTEM POSTAL SAVINGS DEPOSITORY